

MEMORANDUM

Agenda Item No. 11(A)(23)

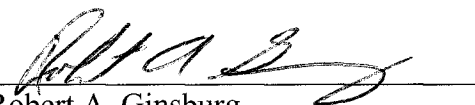
TO: Honorable Chairman Joe A. Martinez
and Members, Board of County Commissioners

DATE: May 3, 2005

FROM: Robert A. Ginsburg
County Attorney

SUBJECT: Resolution codesignating
portion of SW 79th Avenue
as Schoolhouse Road

The accompanying resolution was prepared and placed on the agenda at the request of Commissioner Katy Sorenson.


Robert A. Ginsburg
County Attorney

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Please note any items checked.

- ☐ "4-Day Rule" ("3-Day Rule" for committees) applicable if raised
- ☐ 6 weeks required between first reading and public hearing
- ☐ 4 weeks notification to municipal officials required prior to public hearing
- ☐ Decreases revenues or increases expenditures without balancing budget
- ☐ Budget required
- ☐ Statement of fiscal impact required
- ☐ Bid waiver requiring County Manager's written recommendation
- ☐ Ordinance creating a new board requires detailed County Manager's report for public hearing
- ☐ Housekeeping item (no policy decision required)
- ☐ No committee review

Approved _____ Mayor
Veto _____
Override _____

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05-03-05

RESOLUTION NO. _____

RESOLUTION CODESIGNATING SW 79TH
AVENUE BETWEEN NORTH KENDALL DRIVE
AND SW 104TH STREET AS SCHOOLHOUSE
ROAD

WHEREAS, this Board has conducted a public hearing to consider codesignating SW 79th Avenue between North Kendall Drive and SW 104th Street as Schoolhouse Road; and

WHEREAS, Kendall School opened in 1929 with 44 students. In spite of the segregation of the 1940's the building served as a hurricane shelter and ration card distribution point to whites, blacks and native Americans during World War II; and

WHEREAS, the Kendall School's original building façade faces the former Schoolhouse Road, and it now sports a 'Trompe l'oeil' mural that recreates the original crenellated arch that graced the building's front steps; and

WHEREAS, in the late 1980's, a native hardwood hammock was planted on the school grounds as an outdoor classroom. The Kenwood's hammock went on to win many national awards as a center for environmental learning, and is now a renowned birding locale, hosting bird-watching visitors from as far away as Europe and Japan each winter and spring; and

WHEREAS, the local residents, some of whom were students at The Kendall School (now Kenwood K-8 Center), hereby petition the Board of County Commissioners with this codesignation; and

WHEREAS, this Board would like to honor the local residents with this codesignation; and

WHEREAS, this proposed codesignation is located in County Commission District 8,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, that:

Section 1. This Board approves the codesignation of SW 79th Avenue between North Kendall Drive and SW 104th Street as Schoolhouse Road.

Section 2. The Clerk of the Board is hereby directed to transmit a certified copy of this resolution to the United States Postal Authority, the Traffic Signals and Signs Division of the Public Works Department and Land Development Division of the Public Works Department, the Police Department, and the Fire Department.

The foregoing resolution was sponsored by Commissioner Katy Sorenson and offered by Commissioner _____, who moved its adoption. The motion was second by Commissioner _____, and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Joe A. Martinez, Chairman
Dennis C. Moss, Vice-Chairman


Bruno A. Barreiro
Jose "Pepe" Diaz
Sally A. Heyman
Dorrin D. Rolle
Katy Sorenson
Sen. Javier D. Souto

Dr. Barbara Carey-Shuler
Carlos A. Gimenez
Barbara J. Jordan
Natacha Seijas
Rebeca Sosa

The Chairperson thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and adopted this 3rd day of May, 2005. This resolution shall become effective ten (10) days after the date of its adoption unless vetoed by the Mayor, and if vetoed, shall become effective only upon an override by this Board.

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA
BY ITS BOARD OF COUNTY
COMMISSIONERS

HARVEY RUVIN, CLERK

Approved by County Attorney as
to form and legal sufficiency. 

Robert A. Ginsburg

By: _____
Deputy Clerk